WHEREAS, The South Dakota Lung Association is a voluntary health organization; and,

WHEREAS, The purpose of the South Dakota Lung Association is the prevention and control of lung disease; and,

WHEREAS, The South Dakota Lung Association seeks to accomplish its goal to serve the needs of the people of the State of South Dakota through its program in research, community service, public and professional education; and,

WHEREAS, The South Dakota Lung Association receives support through public contributions to the annual "Christmas Seal" campaign; and,

WHEREAS, The "Christmas Seal" organization began in a post office in 1907 when Emily Bissell sold decorative "Christmas Seal" stamps at a penny a piece to support a facility for tuberculosis treatment; and,

WHEREAS, The American Lung Association and its affiliates throughout the nation are celebrating the Diamond Jubilee to commemorate the beginning of the first voluntary health organization; and,

WHEREAS, None of the work of the "Christmas Seal" organization could have been accomplished without the faithful service of the Association's friends in the United States Postal Service; and,

WHEREAS, The 2,374 postal employees in the State of South Dakota have joined with the thousands of other postal employees across the nation to deliver greeting cards and gifts bearing "Christmas Seals" during the past 75 years, and particularly during this 1979 Holiday Season; and,

WHEREAS, The postal employees in the State of South Dakota are already devoting many hours of hard work to planning and following through on the expeditious handling of the tremendous holiday mail load:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, WILLIAM J. JANKLOW, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim the period of November 26 through December 2, 1979, as:

MAIL EARLY AND USE "CHRISTMAS SEALS" WEEK

in South Dakota, and urge all of our citizens to mail early and support the South Dakota Lung Association by using Christmas Seals on their letters, cards and packages throughout the Holiday Season.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Fifth Day of October, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Seventy-nine

WILLIAM J. JANKLOW, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

ALICE KUNDERT, SECRETARY OF STATE

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